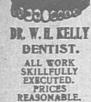
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THE COUNTRY REAL ESTATE **VALUATIONS**

rection. In making this ass

was governed by the law, and treated

all persons alike, as near as I knew

bow. The law says all property must be assessed at a fair cash value. What

is a fair cash value, or what is gener

ally considered a fair cash value? My

nderstanding has always been, and

the opinion of the majority of the

property owners is, that about two-

thirds is a fair cash value, the price a

plece of property would bring if sold

under the hammer, that would be about

Now, when I proceeded to make this

was the assessment on some property, in fact, the mapority, but what prop-

erty was this? It was not the valuable

and high-priced property in the busi-

ness portion of the city, property that

by dividends every year to its owners No, it was not that kind; it was the middle class and working men's prop-

erty, the property of men who had toiled all their lives to get a small home

to shelter them in their old age; that is the property that I found assessed at

What was this business property as-

ssed at? Not 66 per cent, but about per cent. Why did this inequality

exist? I will tell you. The poor working man has no chamber of commerce

to look after his interest or bring in-fluence to bear. They are too modest

to go before the proper boards and ask for a reduction, but go on and pay their

taxes without complaint. That was

the condition I found matters in. I at

once made up my mind that all prop

and the poor alike. What was the con

sequence? Some of this valuable prop

erty, property that had been assessed

at \$100 to \$200 per foot, I raised to \$500.

This very property is being held and

sold at \$1,000 to \$1,200 per foot. Property that is being sold at \$700 or \$300

leave it to the public to judge whether

To substantiate my statements, I

it to \$31,600; this building alone cost

\$33,000. I have Mr. Potts' own state-

ment for this. Take the McLain block;

I raised it from \$44,170 to \$74,600. Does any person think this property could be

bought for any price near what I as-

sessed it at? If they do, let them go

and try and see what is asked for it. Take the German Bank, raised from

\$39,240 to \$62,700; this property was purchased by the bank for \$102,000, not

counting the improvements that were

Then go to the block below and see

how matters stood. Take the John Rinehart property, where the five and ten-cent store is located; it was raised from \$5,360 to \$19,250. Take the prop-

erty where Charles Held has his restaurant; he paid \$15,200 for it; it was

assessed at \$5,000; I raised it to \$13,000. Take the Wiedebusch property, where

should be assessed equal; the rich

about two-thirds.

20 per cent.

reason.

anded enormous rents and paid

ent, I found two-thirds value

66 per cent of the actual value.

Have Been Completed, and Mr. Maxwell Files His Report With the County Clerk.

THERE ARE LARGE INCREASES

Especially in Triadelphia District. Where the Suburban Tide Increased Values.

MR. HELMBRIGHT'S STATEMENT

Furnished to the Press, and Appears This Morning-Goes Into Minute Details.

Yesterday morning, Mr. R. M. Maxwell, of Liberty district, who made the decennial real estate valuations for taxation, for the country district, filed his report with Clerk Moffat, of the board of county commissioners, and with County Clerk Robertson. During the day many suburban residents from the towns in Triadelphia district, along the line of the Wheeling & Elm Grove road, visited the latter's office and inspected the books. Of course there were many kicks, but on the whole it was agreed that the suburban tide out the pike has largely increased the value of property in Triadelphia district, so that considerable increase in valuations was to be expected. Mr. Maxwell's report for the country

district (which also includes all Ritcibe district in the city), shows a total increase on buildings and lots as compared with the assessment for 1839, amounting to \$1,253,750, but of this amount \$317,300 applies to the city portion of Ritchie, so the real increase for the county outside the city of Wheeling is \$336,430, while the increase in the city is \$2,825,850. Of the increases in the country, Triadelphia, as would be osed, has the largest; the increase in Pleasant Valley is \$102,610, in Leatherwood \$34,110, in Triadelphia town \$5,210, and in Elm Grove \$136,230, the valuations in the latter place being more than doubled. Echo Point, Edgington's Lane, and other suburban communities that are not incorporated are included in Triadelphia district proper, where the increase amounted to \$512,180. It is explained that much of this large increase out the pike is brought about by the fact that land which was assessed ten years ago as farm land, is now laid out in town lots with costly suburban homes on them. Below the Intelligencer gives a tabu-

Assessments for 1899 and re-valuation for 1900, with the increases.

Re-capitulation, showing the in-

creases of the city and country districts respectively, and Summary of city of Wheeling and the balance of the county.

The tabulation follows:

NO. 1 DISTRICT

placed on it.

1	1900 1899			Increases	
Districts Build- Ings. Washington \$1,28,695 Madison 11,67,500 Clay 2,48,400 Union 1,97,560 Union 1,97,560 Webster 1,257,650	Buildings and Lots. \$ 1,750,100 1,900,400 4,577,600 2,123,750 1,540,600 1,744,200	Build- ings. \$1,200,239 1,191,215 2,305,550 1,849,800 1,250,079 1,203,800	Buildings and Lots. \$ 1,822,719 1,642,249 2,386,110 2,549,669 1,548,739 1,579,109	Build- ings. \$ 45,726 66,285 130,850 67,000 54,960 45,656	191,880
Totals	\$14,947.660 NO. 2 DIE	TRICT.	\$12,429,000	\$416,795	\$2,518,650
	1900	- 1	500	In	creases-
Districts, Buildings.	Buildings	Build-	Buildings	Build-	Buildings and Lots.
Liberty \$ 143,550 Country 11,210 Richland 142,560	\$ 591,770 27,000 684,634	\$ 124,050 16,090 121,590	\$ 535,850 20,749 615,229	\$ 19,600 5,150 20,550	
Triadelphia	1,5%,950 194,900 75,903 34,649 341,150	367,450 63,550 83,550 20,450 66,530	963,770 96,290 41,790 25,830 204,820	191,890 49,316 15,450 3,890 44,570	512,190 102,610 34,110 8,210 126,330
Ritchie—Country	190,850 1,457,656	48,320 813,330	147,290 1,129,750	11,980 128,260	33,640 317,300
Totals	\$L96,040 RECAPIT	\$1,676,250 ULATION		\$492,570	\$1,253,730
	900	1	000	Tnm	nes.ses
Build- Ings. No. 1 District. \$ 9.37,050 No. 2 District. 2,169,060	Buildings and Lors, \$14,947,650 4,995,649	Build- ings. \$ 8,810,255 1,675,250	Buildings and Lots. \$12,429,000 2,741,219	Build- ings. \$416,795 492,679	Buildings and Lots. \$2,518,450
Totals	\$29,942,690 CTTY AND	\$19,585,645 COUNTRY		\$909,465	\$2,772,880
Build- ings. Di 58,700	Buildings and Lots. \$15,464,760 2,527,980	Build- ings. \$ 9,721,645 883,000		Build- ings. \$545,655	Buildings and Lots, \$2,815,951 \$36,430
The state of the s	\$19,942,690	\$10,586,645	\$16,170,210	2909,465	\$3,772,280

It will be noted that the total inse in the city district was \$2,518,650, and in the country district \$1,253,730, show the proportion of the city of Wheeling and the balance so the county, hence the value of the tabulation of city and country made by the Intelligencer, which shows the increase in the city was \$2,835,950, while the country increase was \$936,430.

The re-valuation shows the total taxation value for the county to be \$19,-942,690, compared with \$16,170,310 assessment for 1899, an increase of \$3,772,-250. The re-valuation is divided between city and country as follows: City of Wheeling, \$16,404,700; balance of county, \$3,537,990.

Mr. Maxwell's report shows a slight ecrease in acreage of farm lands in the county, as follows:

Districts Liberty Hichiand Triadelphia Ritchie (country)	1906. 20,241 18,212 21,365 2,609	188 19,19 18,80 20,60 2,50
Totals	66,501	64,77
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MR. HELMBRIGHT'S STATEMENT

He Replies to Criticisms Made Upon His Revaluation of Property in the City District of the County.

To the Editor of the Intelligencer. SIR:—In justice to myself, I ask the use of your columns to reply to what I consider unjust charges made against me as assessor in making the re-assessment of the city district of Ohio county. No doubt I made mistakes that deserve criticism, but such mistakes are liable to occur, no matter who did the work, but I will say, where any errors appear and I am made ac-Wheeling, W. Va. to appear before the proper persons for it; the offer was made by the Ger. is refreshing.

Ziegenfelder's and Nicolis are located; it was assessed at the enormous price of \$13,770; I raised it to \$27,800; go offer them \$60,000 for it and see if they will but as the country district includes a them \$50,000 for it and see if they will part of the city the two reports to not accept your offer; if they do then they have changed their minds lately, for they refused an offer of this kind. Take the Opera House property; the old assessment was \$29,500; I raised it to \$57,000; they refused, I am told. \$1,000 per foot; they have sixty-four feet of front on Market street, including the entrance to the theatre. Take the property where Quimby and the news stands are located on Market street, east side; it was assessed at \$13,200; I raised it to \$23,500; they refused \$33,000, wanted \$36,000. Take the property adjoining (Luke's livery stable), it was assessed at \$13,200, raised to \$22,800; this preperty is held at \$40,000. Take the property where Harry Joyce is located; it was assessed at \$7,410; I raised it to \$11,500; Mr. Joyce recently paid \$20,000 for this. Take the Jacob Wilhelm property; it was raised from \$9,310 to \$11,-600; it sold a short time ago for \$22,000.

I have a few more on Market street in mind that I will call attention to later on. We will now go to Main street and see if I raised the property out of all reason there. We will take the Franzheim property, which was assessed at 13,070: I raised it to \$13,100; it sold a few weeks ago for \$20,000. Take Mrs. Cecelia Brues' property; it was assessed at \$19,160; I raised it to \$15,500; it sold only about a week ago for \$21,-500. Then take the A. A. Howell property, purchased by Mr. Waterhouse; was assessed at \$17,670; I raised it to \$27,000; the price paid for it was \$50,000. Coming back to Market street. I want

District, Ohlo County. Is a Revolutionary Muster-Roll, Revolutionary

Rogers-Grilley Recitals. is the greatest of dialect readers. to call attention to the property oppo-site the German bank; It is the Eliza J.

ring the effect of either, when it is done

man bank. Take the Beck block; it wa assessed at \$26,000; I raised it to \$44,900; it recently sold for \$69,000.

I have one more case I wish to call attention to, for which I have been criticised and probably justly, not for raising the property too high, but because I did not raise it enough, and that is one of the mistakes I made and am willing to rectify when the own ers appear before the board of equali-zation. The property I refer to is the McLure House. In the first place I would call attention to the interview had with one of the owners by the Register reporter in Monday's issue. If the gentleman has been correctly re-ported, he certainly does not know what he is talking about or maliciously attempts to criticise my work. First, I did not assess him at the rate of \$500 per foot; secondly, they do not own 126 feet; thirdly, the increase in taxes is not \$300. I assessed 145 feet, which Mr. Birney McLure told me they owned; (this includes the arch-way and the Gruber building), at \$400 per foot, which amounts to \$58,000 for the ground. I assessed the building at \$45,000, or a total of \$163,000. As to the increase in taxation on my increase, which was from \$50,310 to \$103,000, would not amount to \$900, but would only amount to \$875 50 total, including the old ass How about the improvements on this property that were made a short time Will the owners enlighten the public as to the cost of the same? I only added \$12,000 on the building; the er raise is on the ground at the rate of \$400 per front foot on Market street (not on Twelfth street), just the same as all the property was assessed that block on that side of the street. Now, I have given a number of case

here, for the public to draw conclusions from. A great many complaints are that the property in Ohio county should not have been raised, as it takes the money from this county and the other counties get the benefit of it. I fully per foot, was raised to \$300 or \$400 per foot. Should I be criticised for this? I agree with the people who make these complaints, but it is a matter over which I had no control. I could not give any relief for this evil without I made an assessment that is out of all neglect of my sworn duty and placing bondsman liable for my actions. will give a few figures of property that I raised, and see if it is out of all The law provides a remedy for this evil; we have a state board of equalizareason. We will take Market street tion, whose duty it is to equalize the from Eleventh to Twelfth. Take the assessments among the different coun-Peabody building; it was assessed in the old assessment at \$34,650; I raised it ties of the state. There is the proper place to do your protesting. We have a very able and esteemed citizen on to \$42,500. This property sold twice in a a very able and esteemed citizen few months for \$60,000. Is this out of that board in the person of Col. Th as O Brien. He is familiar with all the all reason? Take the Potts building: facts connected with this assessment. If he is not, any information or assistthe old assessment was \$29,000; I raised ance that I may be able to furnish him will be glady given.

My first duty was to equalize the asessments between the poor and the rich; that I have done as near as I knew how. I do not say that residence property has not been touched at all Wherever I found residence property that was not assessed at a fair cash value, it was raised. Where I found it too high, I reduced it.

I was approached and requested to reduce all the assessments equally in Ohio county (city district). Some requests were for as much as 50 per If I had done as requested, would that have been just? Not by any means. The inequality would still have existed. My first duty was to equalize the assessment, place the rich man on an equal footing with the poor man, and then make the reduction general, so that all may be benefited alike. If the assessor does not look to the in-

terest of the poor man, there is little

chance of justice being done him. I have had no friends in this matter and have not allowed politics to have any influence whatever. Some claim that the board of commissioners met with me and influenced me to make increases, but that is not true. I made the assessment and then requested some of the commissioners with me and familiarize themselves with the work I had done, and make any suggestions that might benefit the public in general. As for political rings and candidates influencing me and being the cause of these increases, that is false. I, alone, am responsible for this work, and am ready to accept any just criticism that may be made. If any wrong has been done place the blame where it justly belongs. I have done what I consider my sworn duty as near as I knew how and am willing to stand quences. I now leave this matter to the public for their consideration, whether I have done right or C. A. HELMBRIGHT, Commissioner of Assessment, First

A VALUABLE MANUSCRIPT

Owned by Mr. J. W. Alexander.

Mr. J. W. Alexander, a well known Bridgeport citizen, has a manuscript in his possession that is of interest just now, owing to the fact that in the coming Loan Exhibition many relics and papers will be exhibited. This particular manuscript is "The muster roll of Captain Robert is "The master roll of Captain Robert Kirkwood's company of the Delawars regiment of foot, in the service of the United States of America; commanded by Colonel David Hall, for the month of August, 1778." The paper is yellow and musty with age, but it was an ex-cellent brand of ink that was used, and every name and character can be read distinctly. Mr. Alexander is the great grandson

Mr. Alexander is the great grandson of Captain Kirkwood, who commanded the company. Captain Kirkwood served with General Arthur St. Clair, in his campaign against the Indians in western Ohlo after the Revolution, and was killed at the defeat of St. Clair in Darke county. Ohio, November. 1791.

An effort is being made to secure this manuscript for the Loan Exhibition.

Next Wednesday evening the Rogers-Grilley combination will give a most enjoyable entertainment at the Y. M. C. A. hall. On account of the church meetings, the entertainment will begin at \$:30 o'clock. The Pittsburgh Chronicle Telegraph contained the following "Mr. Grilley verified the fact last night that humorous and serlous work may be satisfactorily given on the same programme without marby such an artist as is Mr. Grilley, He Rogers, the harp soloist, is masterly and shows that he has much in reserve. His touch is full of expression and musical, and his interpretation shows Pauli property; it was assessed at strength of character. His tone is big, 19,500; raised to \$16,900; refused \$35,000 and he plays with a fire and dash that MCFADDEN'S.



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THE BIVER

Society.

At Pittsburgh yesterday aftern occurred the wedding of Mr. Frank Early, a member of the Reymann Brewing Company's clerical force, and Miss Nora McCormick, of Salesville, O. wedding trip, Mr. and Mrs. Early will return to Wheeling and will live on Main street, Mr. Early was tendered a complimentary dinner at Sheekey's cafe, on Wednesday even-ing, by a number of his friends, as a farewell to his bachelor days.

The Thursday Night Club, composed of young society people who are fond of the pastime of skating, had an enjoy-able session at the Hygeia ice rink last The members have fixed on Thursday night as the occasion their assembling at the rink, hence the title of their organization, suggested and adopted last evening. A feature was the grand march, led by Prof. E. J. State and Miss Emily Pollock. The affair was greatly enjoyed.

At St. Clairsville last evening, Miss Maud Ferrell and Mr. Bernard Saas were married. The bride is a resident of St. Clairsville, and the groom, of Columbus, Ohio.

Invitations have been issued for the Opera House orchestra's annual concert and ball, which will occur at Arion hall next Tuesday evening. It promises to be one of the largest and most brilliant affairs ever given by this popular musical organization.

AMUSEMENTS.

The many friends of that most ex ellent organization, The Players, will learn with pleasure that they will por-"A Bachelor's Romance," Sol Smith Russell's play, a four-act domestic drams, at the Opera House, on Thursday evening, February L James P. Morgan, one of the original Players, will essay the stellar role, and the complete cast is as follows:

Mr. Mulberry, a book-worm.

Mr. Mulberry, a book-worm.

Mr. William Milhgan
Miss Clementias, David a aunt.

Miss Hattle Reed
Harriet Lester, a society of the Caldwell
Heien Le Grand, David's widowed sister.

Miss Henrietts Rinehart
Syivia Sunmers, David's ward.

Miss Grace M. Hoge

"The Katzen ammer Rids."

The Grand was packed to the doors last night to see the favorite Blondells, who last appeared here in "A Cheerful Idiot," in their new and up-to-date farce "The Katzenjammer Kids." The new piece gives Edward Blondell abundant opportunities to exercise his abilities as a creator of merriment, and in the last act to demonstrate the fact that he is equally at home in straight comedy. incessant, and not a little amusement was caused by the hysterical laughter of several persons in the audience. The action is rapid, and the fun is clean wholesome. The specialties are bright and entertaining, particularly the musical numbers. Millie Bartinia's songs were a charming feature. "The Katzenjammer Kjds" will be on the will be on the boards for the remainder of the week, and should be seen by all who enjoy laughter and merriment.

Raid by the Police.

A raid was made on houses of ill fame last night by Captain Clemans and a squad of his men. The arrests in the aggregate netted thirteen "mad-ames," forty-four girls and four men, as follows: Maud Smith and four girls; Maggie Conroy and four girls; Corinne Riley and two girls; Elia White and two girls; Ida Robinson and two girls; two girls; Ida Robinson and two girls Molile Fleming and three girls; Lucy Belmont, four girls and one man; Edith O'Connell, five girls and three men; Bertha Evans and four girls; Theresa Woods and five girls; Vesta Vaughan and four girls; Wanda Swartz and three girls; Ada Foster and two girls. Including a few other arrests for drunkenness and disorderly conduct, there will be sixty-three cases in this morning's police court. Mr. Quigg Becovering.

Mr. John Quigg, who has been quite eriously ill at the Wheeling Hospital, has so far recovered that he was taken to his residence, on Market street, yes

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IF business men and merchants consult their best interests they will advertise in the Intelligencer.

YESTERDAY'S DEPARTURES. YESTERDAYS DEPARTURES.

Parkersburg, H. K. BEDDFORD, I. p. m.
Marietta... URANIA, 10 a. m.
Maramoras... JEWEL. DOOD.
PHISBURGH... LORENA. 5 p. m.
PHISBURGH... LORENA. 5 p. m.
PHISBURGH... RUTH. 128 p. m.
Clarington... LEROY. 1.39 p. m.
Clarington... LEROY... 2.39 p. m.
Cincinnati... QUEEN CITT, midnight.

DAYS J. MANING TO. DAY

BOATS LEAVING TO-DAY.

BOATS LEAVING TO-DAY.

Pittsburgh. VIRGINIA 5 a m.

Parkersburg BEN HUR. II a m.

Marietta. LEAVING TO-DAY.

BISTERVINE BLOTH: 120 p. m.

Clarington. LEROY, 128 p. m.

Steepberville, T. M. BAYNE, 220 p.

Steubenville, T. M. HAYNE, 2:30 p. m. BOATS LEAVING TO-MORROW. Marietta.... URANIA, § a. m. Charleston... GREENWOOD, 6:30 a. m. Charleston... HEEDFORD, II a. m. Matameras... LEBOY, 3:20 p. m. Steubenville, T. M. BAYNE, 2:30 p. m. Steubenville, T. M. BAYNE, 2:30 p. m. Steubenville, T. M. BAYNE, 2:30 p. m.

Pittsburgh River News. PITTSBURGH, Jan. 18.-The strike

of the river firemen is over, as far as the Monongaheia River Consolidated Coal and Coke Company is concerned, and it is expected that there will be a scramble among the men to get back to-morrow, at which time there will be a coalboat stage. The firemen have warning firemen to stay away from Pittsburgh, as there is a strike of Several coal operators said this

morning that they had many applications yesterday for jobs among firemen and that more men applied for work than they could give employ-The officers of the Firemen's Benefi

cial Association when seen this morning, said that most of their men were firm, but the boats are moving along as usual, notwithstanding their declarations to the contrary. There are nearly one hundred coal-

boats, tied up at the Point, awaiting shipment and the tows will be started south to-morrow. The following boats arrived with tows of empties: Belle McGowan, Smoky City, Dave Wood and Iron Age. The John Moren left for Louisville with a tow of seven barges. The Monongahela River Consolidated

Coal and Coke Company has closed the deal with the Huntington and St. Louis Towboat Company, whereby the former takes possession of the latter's boats and barges. The deal includes the sale of forty model barges and eighty square barges, and the steam boats Wash Honshell, H. F. Frishle Fritz, Jacob Heatherington and Hartweg. It was announced to-day that the boats would be operated by Gray's Iron Line. Some of the barges of the purchased company are now ing loaded with rails at Braddock. The barges will be used to do a general freighting business on the Ohio and Mississippi rivers and tributaries.

Along the Landing. The Urania has resumed in the daily

Wheeling-Marietta trade. Business was brisk at the public landing yesterday, all the packets having good trips. The Lorens, for Pittsburgh, was sev-

eral hours late yesterday, owing to heavy business out of the Muskingum. The Virginia passes up for Pittsburgh this morning. Returning, she will be here for Cincinnati Sunday, at 8 a. m. The marks at 6 p. m. Thursday showed 13 feet and rising slowly. As a coal boat stage is expected at Pittsburgh today, there will be quite a rise here be-fore the close of the week. Weather, cloudy and moderate, with fog last night.

The Queen City was delayed in leav-ing Pittsburgh, not clearing until 10 o'clock yesterday morning. She reach- Robes, ed Wheeling last night at 8 o'clock, and remained until midnight, when she departed for Cincinnati, with a big trip. River Telegrams.

PITTSBURGH-River 9.9 feet and

rising. Cloudy and cool.
OIL CITY—River 4 feet 6 inches and falling. Weather, cloudy and mild. WARREN-River 3 feet 9 inches. Weather, light rain and mild. GREENSBORO—River 8 feet 10 inches and rising. Weather, warm and

MORGANTOWN-River 8 feet 4 Inches and stationary. Weather, raining.
BROWNSVILLE—River 6 feet 1

BROWNSVILLE—River 6 feet 1 inch and stationary.
STEUBENVILLE—River 12 feet 6 inches and rising. Weather, raining and cool. Passed up—Jim Wood, Adelle, Lorena, Catherine Davis. Greenwood. Passed down—Tom Rees, Queen City and John Moren.
PARKERBURG—Ohlo river 14 feet and falling. Weather, cloudy; mercury 42. Heavy rain nearly all day. Passed down—Valley Belle, Duffy, Due down—Queen City. Passed up—Kathryn. Due up—Virginia. Down with coal—Enterprise, Belle McGowan. Little Kanawha is rising at the mouth and booming at

is rising at the mouth and booming at the headwaters. Tributaries are boom-ing. Locals on time.

It Saved His Leg.

P. A. Danforth, of LaGrange, Ga., suffered intensely for six months with a frightful running sore on his leg. but writes that Bucklen's Arnica Salve wholly cured it in ten days. For Ulcers, Wounds, Burns, Bolis, Palio or Piles it's the best salve in the world. Cure guaranteed. Only 25c. Sold by Logan Drug Co.'s drug store.—6.

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